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Congress of the United States **House of Representatives**

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The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for the Early Learning Center (ELC) at Lake Washington Institute of Technology in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Lake Washington Institute of Technology, located at 11605 132nd Ave NE Kirkland, WA 98034.

The funding would be used to replace portable classrooms used for the Early Learning Center (ELC) at Lake Washington Institute of Technology (LWTech). This will allow LWTech to continue offering high-quality, low-cost childcare for 74 children of college students, employees and residents of the Washington state 1st Congressional District community. The ELC is currently housed in portable buildings that have outlived their lifespan and must be replaced. This funding will allow LWTech to implement modern, safe, and accessible classrooms.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Suzan K. DelBene

Member of Congress